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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For : **INFORMATION STORAGE METHOD, INFORMATION
STORAGE DEVICE AND RECORDING MEDIUM**
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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the non-final Office Action which issued April 6, 2004, please consider the
following amendment to the above-referenced application.